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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter; and
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2005, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

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